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TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: AFSP, APER, EG

SUBJECT: CONFIGURATION OF CAIRO POST

FOR THE AMBASSADOR FROM DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY EAGLEBURGER

REF: CAIRO 0589

1. I APPRECIATE YOUR CONSIDERED COMMENTS REFTTEL ON CAIRO STAFFING. YOUR REASONS FOR RESISTING REGIONAL OFFICES ARE SOUND. THE DEPARTMENT HAS AN ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT POINT IN SUPPORT OF YOUR POSITION, NAMELY, ESCALATING COSTS AND BUDGET SQUEEZE WHICH HAVE LED TO REVIEW OF ALL USG REGIONAL POSITIONS OVERSEAS WHICH IS NOW UNDERWAY. YOUR TELEGRAM ENABLES US TO ADD YOUR VIEWS TO THAT REVIEW PROCESS. MEANWHILE, I AM TAKING STEPS TO INFORM COMMERCE THAT THEY SHOULD NOT PURSUE  
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THEIR REQUEST PENDING OUTCOME OF THE REGIONAL REVIEW.

2. WHILE I DO NOT WANT TO TRY TO PREDICT THE OUTCOME OF THIS REVIEW, I CAN ASSURE YOU THAT WE WILL HELP YOU HOLD THE LINE ON REGIONAL OFFICES WHEN YOU RECOMMEND IT. WE WILL CONVEY POLICY CONCLUSIONS ON STAFFING REGIONAL OFFICES AS SOON AS THE REVIEW IS COMPLETED. SISCO

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